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Please find below a communication from the SUPERVISORY EXAMINER in charge of this application.

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Applicant's remarks regarding the 101 rejection in the amendment filed September 14, 1999 were persuasive.

The Provisional Amendment filed December 30, 1998 was not entered and the amendment filed September 14, 1999 (which contains the former) was entered instead.

Now, claims 1-23 and 45-65 are allowed.

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